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SAFETY RULES FOR SCROLL SAWS



⚠ WARNING Failure to follow these rules may result in serious injury.

- DO NOT OPERATE THIS MACHINE UNTIL IT IS COMPLETELY ASSEMBLED AND INSTALLED ACCORDING TO THE INSTRUCTIONS.** A machine incorrectly assembled can cause serious injury.
- OBTAIN ADVICE** from your supervisor, instructor, or another qualified person if you are not thoroughly familiar with the operation of this machine. Knowledge is safety.
- FOLLOW ALL WIRING CODES** and recommended electrical connections to prevent shock or electrocution.
- SECURE THE MACHINE TO A SUPPORTING SURFACE.** Vibration can cause the machine to slide, walk, or tip over.
- NEVER START THE MACHINE BEFORE CLEARING THE TABLE** of all objects (tools, scrap pieces, etc.). Debris can be thrown at high speed causing injury.
- NEVER START THE MACHINE WITH THE WORKPIECE AGAINST THE BLADE.** The workpiece can be thrown, causing injury.
- NEVER START THE MACHINE UNTIL ALL HANDLES ARE LOCKED AND THE BLADE IS AT THE CORRECT TENSION.** Abnormal operations cause injuries.
- AVOID** Awkward operations and hand positions. A sudden slip could cause a hand to move into the blade.
- KEEP ARMS, HANDS,** and fingers away from the blade to prevent injury.
- NEVER REACH UNDER THE TABLE** while the machine is running. A moving blade under the table can cause injury.
- ADJUST THE "HOLD-DOWN" FOOT FOR EACH NEW OPERATION.** Loss of control of the workpiece can cause injury.
- HOLD THE WORKPIECE FIRMLY AGAINST THE TABLE.** Loss of control of the workpiece can cause injury.
- DO NOT CUT A WORKPIECE THAT IS TOO SMALL TO BE SAFELY SUPPORTED.** When hands are too close to the blade, a wrong move can cause injury.
- DO NOT CUT A WORKPIECE THAT DOES NOT HAVE A FLAT SURFACE** against the table.
- MAKE RELIEF CUTS** before cutting long curves. Never attempt to cut a curve that is too tight. Breaking blades can cause injury.
- NEVER BACK A BOUND BLADE OUT OF A KERF** with the saw running. Turn the saw "OFF", disconnect the saw from the power source, wedge the kerf and remove the blade. Breaking blades can cause injury.
- USE CAUTION WHEN CUTTING IRREGULAR WORKPIECES.** This type of workpiece can pinch the blade before the cut is complete. Breaking blades can cause injury.
- USE CAUTION WHEN CUTTING ROUND MATERIAL.** This type of workpiece has a tendency to "roll" and can cause the blade to bite. Breaking blades can cause injury.
- PROPERLY SUPPORT LONG OR WIDE** work-pieces. Loss of control of the workpiece can cause injury.
- NEVER PERFORM LAYOUT, ASSEMBLY, OR SET-UP WORK ON THE TABLE/WORK AREA WHEN THE MACHINE IS RUNNING.** A sudden slip could cause a hand to move into the blade. Injury can result.
- TURN THE MACHINE "OFF",** disconnect the machine from the power source, and clean the table/work area before leaving the machine. Lock the switch in the "OFF" position to prevent unauthorized use. Someone else might accidentally start the machine and cause injury to themselves.
- ADDITIONAL INFORMATION** regarding the safe and proper operation of power tools (i.e. a safety video) is available from the Power Tool Institute, 1300 Sumner Avenue, Cleveland, OH 44115-2851 (www.powertoolinstitute.com). Information is also available from the National Safety Council, 1121 Spring Lake Drive, Itasca, IL 60143-3201. Please refer to the American National Standards Institute ANSI O1.1 Safety Requirements for Woodworking Machines and the U.S. Department of Labor OSHA 1910.213 Regulations.